

THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Inventor : Srinivas Tadepalli et al.

Appln. No.: 10/053,271

Filed: January 17, 2004

For : DISC DRIVE WITH GROOVES ON

INTERNAL SURFACES

Docket No.: S01.12-0815

Group Art Unit: 2652

Examiner: Klimowicz

RECEIVED

PETITION FOR TWO-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME AND FEE

Technology Center 2600

SEP 0 3 2004

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THIS PAPER IS BEING SENT BY U.S. MAIL, FIRST CLASS, TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS, P.O. BOX 1450, ALEXANDRIA, VA 22313-1450, THIS

30 DAY OF August

20 04

PATENT ATTORNEY

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), Applicant hereby petitions for a two-month extension of time to respond to the Office Action dated March 29, 2004. Enclosed is a check in the amount of \$420.00 to cover the fee for the extension of time. If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor.

The Director is authorized to charge any additional fees associated with this paper or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 23-1123. A duplicate of this Petition for Extension of Time is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

WESTMAN, CHAMPLIN & KELLY, P.A.

09/03/2004 MMEKONEN 00000030 10053271

02 FC:1252

B۱

420.00 OP

Theodore M Magee Reg No.

Theodore M. Magee, Reg. No. 39,758 Suite 1600 - International Centre

900 Second Avenue South

Minneapolis, Minnesota 55402-3319

Phone: (612) 334-3222 Fax: (612) 334-3312

TMM:sew